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FOR PATENT APPLICATION**



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**CAMERA SYSTEM**

the specification of which

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Prior Foreign Application(s):

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(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)		No

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